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Academic Year 2005-2006
(Fall 2005 enrollment 1,217)
1. Initiated Ed.D. in Educational Leadership

Academic Year 2006-2007
(Fall 2006 enrollment 1,331)
1. Established University Protocol for Reporting Enrollment by Degree Program, Level, and Campus

Academic Year 2007-2008

Academic Year 2008-2009
1. Assigned Vice President to the Quad Cities Campus

2. Initiated:
   a. Bachelor of Liberal Arts and Sciences
   b. Master’s in Museum Studies

Academic Year 2009-2010
1. Initiated
   a. Bachelor of Science in Nursing
   b. Bachelor of Science in Engineering
   c. Post Baccalaureate Certificates in English, Museum Studies, and Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages, and Geographic Information Systems
   d. Master’s in Liberal Arts and Sciences

Academic Year 2011-2012
(Fall 2011 enrollment 1,372)
1. Opened Riverfront Campus Phase I.

2. Introduced new campus logo.

3. Closed the Caxton Block Building location.

4. Signed dual enrollment agreement with Eastern Iowa Community Colleges.

5. Established academic-administrative structure.
   a. Dr. Jim Patterson appointed Assistant Dean, College of Business and Technology.

6. Received $38.0 million in Phase II construction funding.

Academic Year 2012-2013
(Fall 2012 enrollment 1,377, up 5 students (0.4%) from fall 2011)
1. Enrolled First Honors Cohort.

2. Initiated:
   a. Bachelors of Business in Supply Chain Management
   b. Bachelors of Art in Communication
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c. Bachelors of Art in English  
d. Bachelors of Business in Human Resource Management

3. Received initial ABET accreditation.

4. Signed:  
a. Dual Enrollment Agreement with Sauk Valley College  
b. Reverse Transfer Agreement with Sauk Valley College  
c. Honors Articulation Agreement with Eastern Iowa Community Colleges

5. Celebrated 100-year anniversary of WIU in the Quad Cities with showings of the 30-minute historic video at Founders Day and on WQPT.

6. Hosted Groundbreaking for Phase II construction.

Academic Year 2013-2014  
(Fall 2013 enrollment 1,502, up 130 students (9.5%) from fall 2011.)

1. Continue supporting initiatives to meet a long-term enrollment target of 2,000.

2. Initiated.  
a. Post Baccalaureate Certificates in Business Administration and Supply Chain Management

3. Signed:  
a. Dual Enrollment Agreement with Highland Community College  
b. Chiropractic Dual Degree Agreement with Palmer College of Chiropractic  
c. Memorandum of Understanding for High School Special Admissions with Rivermont Collegiate Academy

4. Enhanced the academic-administrative support structure by:  
a. Dr. Lloyd Kilmer appointed Assistant Dean, College of Education and Human Services  
b. Dr. Jim Rabchuk appointed Assistant Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

5. Hosted first December commencement reception

6. Signed:  
a. Dual Enrollment Agreement with Palmer College of Chiropractic  
b. Honors Articulation Agreement with Highland Community College

7. Closed 60th Street.


Academic Year 2014-2015  
(Fall 2014 enrollment 1,523, up 151 students (11.0%) from fall 2011.)

1. Opened Riverfront Phase II.

2. Enrolled First High School Special Admissions Students.
3. Initiated:
   a. Bachelors of Science in Education in Bilingual/Bicultural Education
   b. Ph.D. in Environmental Science

4. Completed Higher Learning Commission Location Review
   a. Educational Leadership (Washington, IL)
   b. Reading (Peoria, IL)

5. Established Special High School Admissions Scholarships (effective Spring 2015) that lower the tuition to 1/3rd the published cost for these students who also do not pay fees.
   a. Meetings with representatives from local Illinois high schools (In Progress).
   b. Meetings with representatives from local Iowa high schools (In Progress).

6. Negotiating Honors Agreements (In Progress)
   a. Carl Sandburg College
   b. Sauk Valley College

7. Enhanced academic-administrative structure
   a. Clerical support staff transferred to Assistant Deans
   b. Academic Advisors transferred to Assistant Deans
   c. Quad Cities Technology transferred to University Technology
   d. Placed Honors College Advisor in the Quad Cities one day per week.
   e. Placed School of Extended Studies staff member in the Quad Cities one day per week.


9. Continued New Program Development
   a. New Undergraduate Programs (In progress)
      i. Computer Science
      ii. Culinary Arts
      iii. Psychology
      iv. Sociology
   b. Extensions of Existing Undergraduate Programs (In Progress)
      i. Engineering
      ii. Engineering Technology
   c. New Graduate Programs (In Progress)
      i. Post Baccalaureate Certificate in Events Management
      ii. Executive Master’s Degree in College Student Personnel Program
      iii. Hybrid Master’s Degree in Community and Economic Development
      iv. Higher Education track to the Ed.D. in Educational Leadership

**Academic Year 2015-2016**
1. Implement New Academic Programs

**Academic Year 2016-2017**
1. Review Organizational Structure
Community College Dual Enrollment Agreements
2008-2009  Black Hawk College
2008-2009  Carl Sandburg College
2011-2012  Eastern Iowa Community Colleges
2012-2013  Sauk Valley College
2013-2014  Highland Community College

Four-Year College and University Agreements
2013-2014  Chiropractic Dual Degree Agreement with Palmer College of Chiropractic

Honors Articulation Agreements
2012-2013  Eastern Iowa Community Colleges
2013-2014  Highland Community College

Memorandums of Understanding for High School Special Admissions
2013-2014  Rivermont Collegiate Academy